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The Honorable David E. Price Chairman Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Mario Diaz-Balart
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Urban Development, and Related Agencies
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Dear Chair and Ranking Member,

I am requesting funding for the City of Midway, FL Expansion of Eugene Lamb, Jr. Recreation Center.

The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Midway located at 50 Martin Luther King Boulevard, Midway, FL 32343.

The funding would be a valuable use of taxpayer's funds because it will address critical needs of the current facility expansion design necessitated by population growth while also expanding public fitness and recreational development, multipurpose services and enrichment needs of Midway's citizens from toddlers to seniors including low to moderate income households. Population growth now finds the current facility inadequate in meeting the community's needs or accommodating the City's opportunities of advancement and development. The facility expansion will also strengthen community development and enhance economic development and partnership opportunities for the City of Midway. This recreation center serves as the City's only such source of facility infrastructure and support for a population of approximately 3,500 citizens and therefore this project would establish the first and only such multipurpose center in this community.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Al Lawson

Member of Congress